

County News.

By Our Regular Correspondents.

PINETTA.

Mrs. J. B. Cowart, of Dasher, Ga., spent last Saturday with relatives here.

Dr. J. P. Kinsey spent several days of last week with his parents near Aucilla.

H. B. Henderson and family have moved to the dwelling recently occupied by J. E. Herring.

Frank Cowart, bookkeeper for Gay & Paxon of Hanson, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Cowart.

Owing to the decrease in the public school at this place Miss Sallie Kelley has resigned her position as assistant and returned to her home near Madison Saturday last.

Guess what young man had an engagement with his best girl last Sunday afternoon to go driving but failed to get a team for the occasion but was an eye witness to the fact that she went driving with another fellow?

There was a most enjoyable entertainment given at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. John Prosser last Saturday evening. There was quite a crowd assembled. Refreshments were served, consisting of cake and fruits of various kinds.

HAMBURG.

W. C. Smith spent the last few days in Cherry Lake on business.

R. E. Wilson has accepted a position in Cairo with J. W. Southall.

J. M. Wilson, of Campville, spent a part of last week with relatives here.

Misses Alice Loper and Fannie Mae Pridgeon are visiting relatives in Leon county.

The new Universalist church is nearing completion under the supervision of T. L. H. Rykard.

Mrs. W. A. Dale and Miss Vann Wilson spent last Thursday with their sister, Mrs. Carrie Butler.

We are sorry to lose from our midst J. C. Loper and family who have moved to their place in the Hicktown neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Wilson lost their infant child Saturday. It died from measles. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved parents.

Misses George Martin and Minnie Wilson took supper with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Flowers last Friday night and enjoyed a fine mess of trout.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Humphrey spent Saturday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Edwards, of Lovelock, and Sunday with the family of J. R. Wilson.

LEE.

Lee is steadily building up no v.

W. B. Hicks went to Live Oak on business Monday.

Mrs. N. Brass, of Yon, Fla., made a visit here last week.

John Stroud, jr., is attending school in Madison now.

Miss Leila Stroud is in Live Oak taking a course of stenography.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Have visited their son in Madison Tuesday.

Henry McDaniel leaves Wednesday for Nocatee where he will reside in the future.

Misses Mabel and Nora Prier returned Saturday from an extended visit with their grand parents in Georgia.

Miss Sallie Shuler, a popular teacher of Bristol, and Miss Lucia Peak were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peak here Saturday.

The Lee people are essentially homeloving people, as a look at the many improvements that are being added will show.

F. M. Stroud has purchased a lot near the depot and will erect a fine dwelling there. W. J. Ger and many others will build beautiful residences in the near future.

LOCATING JOHN.

The Fate of a Tiger Hunter and His Return Home.

A story is told of a young man named John P., who, being in poor health, went to India. His family had instructed him not to spare expense, but to cable three times a week how he was and what he was doing. The first cable message ran:

Am well. Have native guide, Inja Hunt tigers tomorrow.

The next communication did not arrive till two weeks later. It was this: John dead. Killed. Tiger. What do?

INJA.

Back went the fearful message: Send on body.

A month later there was delivered to the keeper of the receiving vault of M. cemetery a box or coffin so large and heavy that it might have been the home of a second Cardiff Giant. Suspicion having been aroused, a permit was secured and the sealed coffin opened. To the consternation of those present there lay the body of a magnificent Bengal tiger resting on white satin. The following message was soon racing across the Atlantic:

Some mistake. Some mistake. You send a tiger. Where is John?

The following information was soon received:

No mistake. No mistake. John inside tiger!

Flowers on the Stage.

No actor who is imbued with the superstitions of his profession will give yellow roses to a friend, nor will he accept them himself, as he fancies the flowers are harbingers of misfortune, jealousy and loss of friendship. Some managers will allow no natural flowers whatever to be used by way of "properties" upon the stage, but that is carrying the matter further than is usually considered essential.

Indian War Claim.

So much has been published concerning Florida's ancient claim, first presented in the Senate by Senator Yulee, in 1859, for moneys expended in the payment of troops and otherwise in suppressing the Seminoles in the years of 1856 and 1857, that little need be said of its earlier history, with which all Floridians are familiar.

When Mr. Tallafiero entered the Senate the previous efforts of the State's representatives in the Congress had resulted in having the Secretary of War make and state an account showing the respective amounts mutually due from the state and from the United States. With a view to the successful advocacy of the claim, he planned for a place on the Committee on Claims, which he secured. After many months of careful study of the details of the claim and the existing situation—in which he had the invaluable assistance of Hon. Wm. D. Bloxham, who furnished much of the data and probably knew as much about the matter as any other person living—Senator Tallafiero decided that the best way to secure favorable action upon it was to present it as an amendment to the Omnibus Claims bill, then pending in the House, and which embraced a large number of claims involving the interests of nearly every State in the Union. He accordingly offered an amendment to that bill, making provision for the payment of the claim. In this policy, and throughout the entire course of legislation in the matter, he had the united and enthusiastic co-operation of the other representatives of Florida in the Congress.

From the beginning the delegation encountered active and determined opposition from other members who represented claims embraced in the bill. By shrewd and bold insistence upon his rights as a Senator and upon the rights of the State, Mr. Tallafiero succeeded in neutralizing such opposition in the Committee and the Senate, notably in the case of a prominent Senator of another State, who feared that the allowance of Florida's large claim might endanger the chances of his own. By carefully studying the merits of this opposing claim he was prepared to disclose its weaknesses, had this been necessary; but this claim was defeated, and the opposition to the Florida claim did not materialize.

Nevertheless, other obstacles interposed. The bill, which originated in the House, was amended in the Senate to contain a provision for the payment of the "Selfridge claim," for moneys lost in building ships for the Government during the Civil War. The House refused to concur in the amendment, and asked for a conference. The other Senate amendments being involved in the conference, Senator Tallafiero and his colleagues labored with the conferees for the salvation of the bill, the advocates of the Selfridge claim having threatened its defeat if that claim was not included. Finally, Mr. Tallafiero suggested that the Selfridge claim be referred for settlement to the Court of Claims in a separate measure, and this solution of the controversy being accepted, opposition was withdrawn, the Conference Committee reported the bill favorably with the Florida claim intact, and the bill became a law. Shortly afterwards the Governor of Florida was enabled to go to Washington and receive the warrant.

Special Announcement Regarding the National Pure Food and Drug Law.

We are pleased to announce that Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung troubles is not affected by the National Pure Food and Drug Law as it contains no opiates or other harmful drugs, and we recommend it as a safe remedy for children and adults. D. G. Smith.

At the Opera House.

Commencing to-night the Goodwin Stock Co. will play a three nights engagement in this city with a complete change of program at each performance. The first bill will be "A Girl of the Golden West," which is one of the strongest plays in the repertoire and is sure to please everyone. It is not a blood and thunder drama but is a beautiful story of Western life with a strong vein of comedy and a beautiful love story intermingling, there is plenty of gun play throughout the play but not a single shot fired.

Miss Flora Nelson the company's charming leading woman plays the title role, that of a rough uneducated Western girl, who falls in love with a young Easterner and marries him contrary to the wishes of her brother who acts as her guardian. The situations and thrilling climaxes that abound in the play are interesting to a degree and the evolution of the rough uncouth product of the West to a refined young married woman is decidedly humorous. Secure your seats at Davis' drug store for the three nights engagement. Prices 75, 50 and 25 cents.

An Insidious Danger.

One of the worst features of kidney trouble is that it is an insidious disease and before the victim realizes his danger he may have a fatal malady. Take Foley's Kidney Cure at the first sign of trouble as it corrects irregularities and prevents Bright's disease and diabetes. D. G. Smith.

A Wonderful Happening.

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Nearly every person who is subject to attacks from the stomach suffers from a morbid dread of a dietetic treatment for relief, that is three fourths starvation, and one-fourth toasts and milk. On the other hand you can eat as you please and digest the food by the aid of a good digestant, thus giving the tired stomach equally as much rest. Eat what you please and take a little Kodol For Indigestion after your meals. It digests what you eat. Sold by W. B. Davis.

A change of schedule on the Seaboard went into effect last Sunday. Under it the west-bound passenger train from Jacksonville reaches Madison one hour earlier than heretofore, or at twelve o'clock—when it isn't late.

Mothers who give their children Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup invariably endorse it. Children like it because the taste is so pleasant. Contains Honey and Tar. It is the Original Laxative Cough Syrup and is unrivaled for the relief of croup. Drives the cold out through the bowels. Conforms to the National Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold by W. B. Davis.

A Memorable Day.

One of the days we remember with pleasure, as well as with profit to our health, is the one in which we became acquainted with Dr. King's New Life Pills, the painless purifier that cures bowels right. 25c. at B. F. Moseley drug store.

H. B. Brown of Rocky Sink returned from Madison Saturday night. He was in the Merchants hotel when it burned last week, and is one of the two men who were supposed to have lost their lives in the conflagration. He lost part of his clothing and other things to the amount of about \$18.00, but he considers himself exceedingly lucky to come out without personal injury.—Live Oak Democrat.

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REV. A. B. OSGOOD, EDITOR.


Rev. D. J. Carter is the new pastor of Madison Station, A. M. E. church. He moved his family from Live Oak Friday.

Alfred Mills and Blanch Moseley were married Sunday morning at the home of the bride's parents. A. B. Osgood officiated.

John Johnson, one of the biggest business men of Live Oak, was here Saturday.

Rev. Mrs. Massey has moved to Live Oak to build a church. Her son, who has been absent for ten years, married in Valdosta, Ga., to Miss Lillian Linton and came home.

A. B. Osgood is pastor of Juslam church this year.



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